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LB 70, 107, 234, 235, 338, 348, 400  
413, 414, 424, 432, 504, 596, 624  
LR 19

SENATOR HARTNETT: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, could I ask Senator Warner some questions. Was it your opinion on the Appropriations Committee, and I was there I guess for the hearing, that these on these sheets that you passed out, Senator Warner, you know the ones with the energy education, local conservation, and so forth, three sheets, were too far down the pike to do anything with them, to hold them back, that the contracts have been signed without the legislative process like you are hoping to do with the next bill?

SENATOR WARNER: Well, technically, we probably could still stop any one of them, if the Legislature wanted to arbitrarily by not appropriating the money for that contract. Now whether or not there is a liability is kind of up in the air because the contracts do exist, but I think it is the collective judgment that none of the projects at this point, from a legislative view, at least, should be stopped per se. We did hold up actually three for more information.

SENATOR HARTNETT: Yes. Thank you.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. Any other discussion on the advancement of the bill? Senator Warner, any closing statements? None. The question is, shall LB 432 be advanced to E & R Initial? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted on the advancement of the bill? Please record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 432.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 432 advances. Before proceeding, I would like to take a moment to recognize 49 Kearney State College students in the south balcony as guests of Senator Langford and others. Would you people please stand and be recognized by the Legislature. Thank you for visiting with us. We are glad you are here. Any messages, anything for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Yes, Mr. President, I do. Your Committee on Education whose Chair is Senator Withem reports 413 to General File with amendments, LB 70 indefinitely postponed, 107 indefinitely postponed, 234, 235, 338, 348, 400, 414, 424, 596, 624, and LR 19CA, all as indefinitely postponed. Those are signed by Senator Withem as Chair of the Education Committee. (See pages 922-23 of the Legislative Journal.)

Transportation Committee would report 504 to General File with